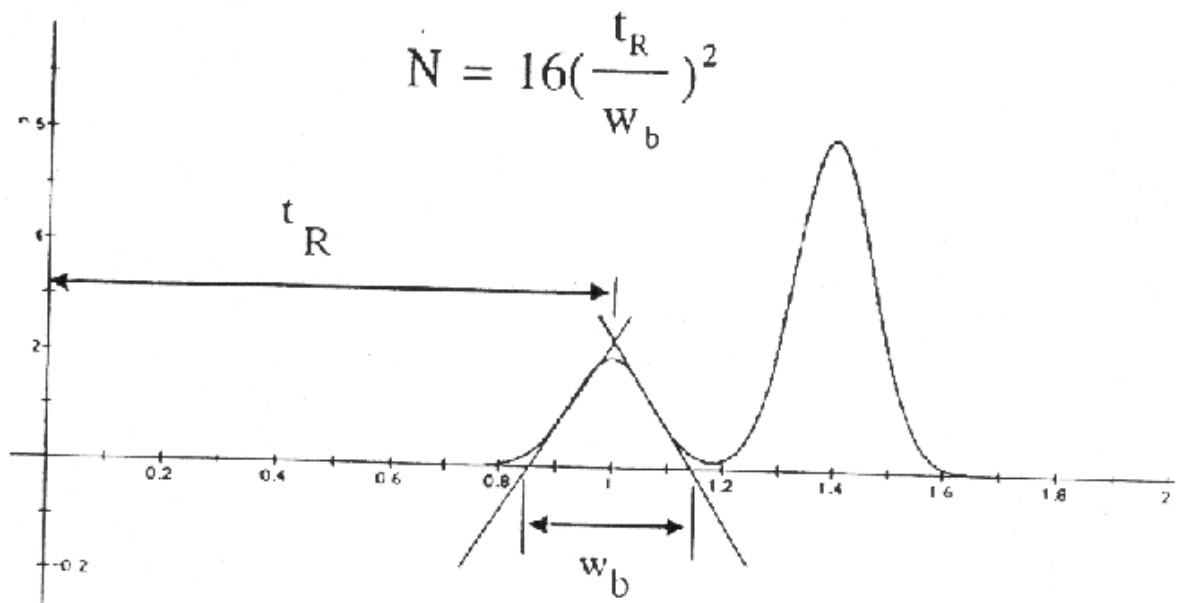


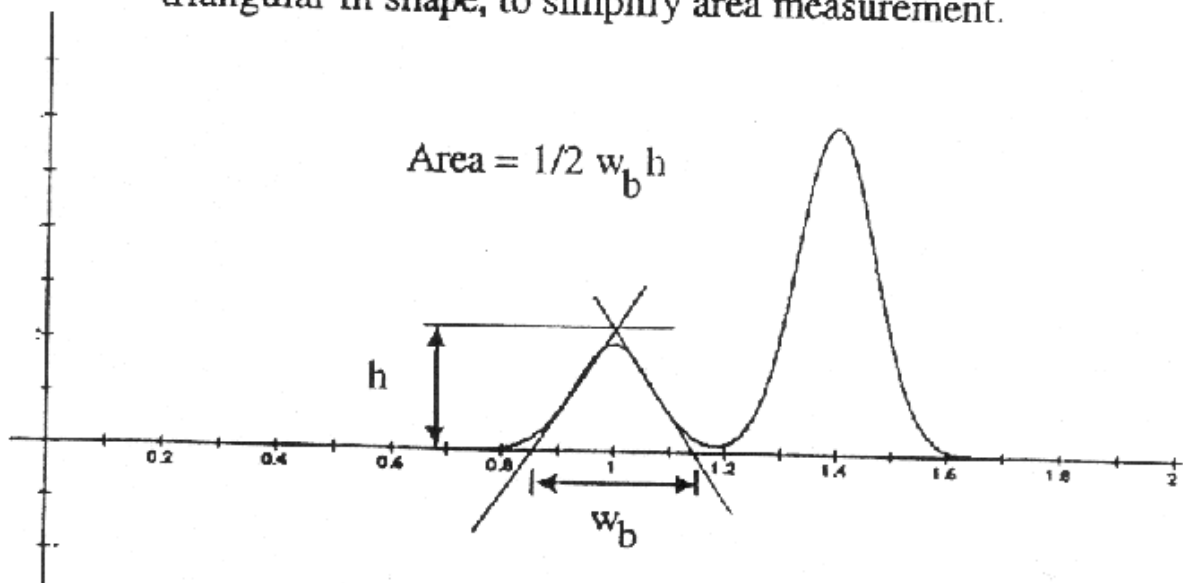
Example i

N = number of theoretical plates, (a measure of efficiency)



NOTE: w_b is measured at the intersection of the tangents with the baseline.

The gaussian curve can be approximated as triangular in shape, to simplify area measurement.



NOTE: the height is measured to the top of the tangents, which is above the actual curve peak